



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Docket No. 1248-0567P	
Application No. 10/000,332-Conf. #9777	Filing Date December 4, 2001	Examiner A. A. Boutah	Art Unit 2143		
Applicant(s): Hirofumi OKAMURA et al.					
Invention: DATABASE SERVER, INFORMATION MANAGEMENT METHOD, INFORMATION MANAGEMENT PROGRAM, AND RECORDING MEDIUM RECORDING THE INFORMATION MANAGEMENT PROGRAM					
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<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Filing Date	December 4, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Hirofumi OKAMURA
		Examiner Name	A. A. Boutah
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	
28	- 26 = 2	x 50.00 =	100.00	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)		
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The following remarks are provided in response to the Office Action dated February 14, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.